

**NONPROVISIONAL PATENT
APPLICATION TRANSMITTAL RULE §1.53(b)
IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

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The PTO did not receive the following
listed item(s) DECLARATION

Sir:

Transmitted herewith for filing under 37 C.F.R. §1.53(b) is a nonprovisional patent application:

For (Title): ROYAL GAME AND METHOD OF PLAYING
By (Inventors): Thomas E. SAWYER

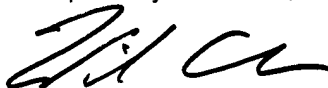
- ☒ 18 pages of Specification/Claims 1-28/Abstract are attached.
- ☒ Formal drawings (Fig(s). 1-7; 7 sheet(s)) is/are attached.
- ☒ A Declaration and Power of Attorney is attached.
- ☐ An assignment of the invention to _____ is attached, along with Form PTO-1595 and a check for \$40.00.
- ☐ An Information Disclosure Statement is attached, along with Form PTO-1449, and _____ reference(s).
- ☒ This application is entitled to Small Entity Status.
- ☐ A Preliminary Amendment is attached.
- ☒ Please amend the specification by inserting before the first line the sentence --This nonprovisional application claims the benefit of U.S. Provisional Application No. 60/409,586, filed September 11, 2002 -
- ☐ Priority of foreign application No. _____ filed _____ in _____ is claimed under 35 U.S.C. §119.
- ☐ A certified copy of the above corresponding foreign application is attached.

The filing fee is calculated below and includes claim status after entry of any Preliminary Amendment noted above:

			SMALL ENTITY			LARGE ENTITY	
FOR:	NO. FILED	NO. EXTRA	RATE	FEE	OR	RATE	FEE
BASIC FEE				\$ 375	OR		\$
TOTAL CLAIMS	28-20	= 8	x 9 =	\$ 72	OR	x 18	\$
INDEP CLAIMS	5 - 3	= 2	x 42 =	\$ 84	OR	x 84	\$
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			TOTAL	\$ 531	OR	TOTAL	\$

- ☒ A check for the filing fee is enclosed at this time.

Respectfully submitted,



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